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BONN FOR DEPUTY SECRETARY CHRISTOPHER EYES ONLY

FOL SECTO 03018 SENT ACTION SECSTATE MAR 30, 1978 REPEATED
TO YOU QUOTE

S E C R E T SECTO 03018

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EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (CARTER, JIMMY)

SUBJ: ENHANCED RADIATION: CONGRESSIONAL CONSULTATION

REF: STATE 645; TOSEC 030052

FOR TARNOFF FROM WISNER

1. THE SECRETARY HAS READ YOUR MESSAGE AND PREFERS THAT NO
CONSULTATIONS WITH CONGRESS BE UNDERTAKEN UNTIL WE HAVE COME
TO A DECISION AS TO WHEN AND HOW TO ANNOUNCE OUR ERW DECISION.
I UNDERSTAND THAT GELB'S AND AARON'S VIEW HAVE BEEN SOLICITED

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WITH RESPECT TO THE ANNOUNCEMENT.

2. ONCE A DECISION HAS BEEN MADE, AND THE SECRETARY BELIEVES
THAT IT COULD BE MADE DURING OUR TRIP, HE WILL AUTHORIZE
YOU TO CONTACT THE MEMBERS OF CONGRESS YOU MENTIONED. YOU
WILL BE ABLE TO INFOR CULVER, HART, KENNEDY, PELL AND MCGOVERN
AS WELL AS THE OTHERS. THE SECRETARY HAS NO OBJECTION TO THE

METHOD OF CONSULTATION YOU PROPOSE.

3. THE SECRETARY WANTS YOU TO COMMUNICATE TO WARREN CHRISTOPHER
THE IMPORTANCE OF HIS TELLING GENSCHER AND SCHMIDT THAT WE
COUNT ON THEM TO HOLD OUR MESSAGE CLOSELY SINCE WE HAVE NOT
HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO INFORM MEMBERS OF CONGRESS.
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